

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

This invention provides an image printing system formed by connecting an image printing apparatus to an information processing apparatus through a network. In the 5 image printing system of this invention, in order to manage and limit even output processing externally input to the image printing apparatus through the network, when the image printing apparatus receives image data subjected to output processing requested by another image printing 10 apparatus, control is performed to permit or inhibit image printing on the basis of a limitation on output operation which is set on the assumption of this situation.